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3. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Mr. Michael Reed,
Legislative Assistant to the Speaker of the House, Carl Albert, and
reviewed with him the correspondence from

concerning a custody of children decree relating to
employed by Air America, Inc. in the Far East.

Mr. Reed expressed his appreciation for my coming by and said he would
contact Air America directly. He did not question the fact that neither the
Agency nor the Department of State could be of any assistance in this matter.

Neither the Department nor the Agency has any jurisdiction over the
individual.

DDS/HB, has been advised. No further
action is required with regard to the letter of 3 June from the Speaker.

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4. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who told me that he thought this morning's budget briefing of the Chairman had gone extremely well.

I briefed Mr. Slatinshek on the and the visit to Cuba of a Soviet intelligence collection ship.

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- 5. (Secret JGO) Met with Messrs. James Wilson and W. H. Boone, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and briefed them on the Soviet "J" vehicle.
- 6. (Internal Use Only JGO) Met with Miss Jean Gordon, Administrative Assistant to Representative Charles Gubser (R., Calif.), and thanked her for her assistance in putting the Ingersoll letter in the Record earlier this week.
- 7. (Confidential JGO) Talked to Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, who told me that the transcript of the Director's briefing on Brazil of 5 May would be ready for return to the Agency at close of business.
- 8. (Confidential JGO) Met with Mr. John Brady, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, and delivered to him a blind memorandum entitled "Recent Trends in the Illicit Narcotics Market in Southeast Asia." Mr. Brady originally requested the paper from Mr. Harvey Wellman, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Narcotics Matters. Mr. Brady was complimentary both in his attitude and remarks about the Agency.

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- 6. (Internal Use Only JGO) Met with Miss Jane Schweiker, Caseworker, in the office of Senator Jack Miller (R., Iowa), and reviewed personnel resumes that she felt might be of interest to the Agency. Since the individuals are high grade and above age 50, I told Miss Schweiker we would be pleased to accept applications but their chances of employment at this time would be very slim. Miss Schweiker thanked me and said she would refer them elsewhere in Government.
- 7. (Secret JGO) Met with Miss Louise Ellis, House Armed Services Committee staff, and picked up the transcript of the Director's testimony of 25 March for return to the Agency for safekeeping. See Journal of 7 June 1971.
- 8. (Confidential JGO) I had lunch with Mr. Jack Leahy, Office of Congressional Relations, State Department, who told me that Senator Fulbright (D., Ark.) referred the Radios bill to the Office of Legislative Reference, Library of Congress, for "nonpartisan evaluation of the effectiveness of the Radios" and put over any further consideration of the bill until his return from his trip out of the country. Mr. Leahy told me that the House version of the bill has been referred by the Parlimentarian to the House District of Columbia Committee on the premise that the bill will require issuance of a charter for the subject organization. Attempts are being made to get Chairman Morgan, House Foreign Affairs Committee, together with Chairman McMillan, of the House District Committee, to attempt possible reassignment of the bill to Foreign Affairs or expedite handling by the District Committee. If the bill remains with the District Committee, which may well happen, consideration may be given to having Chairman Morgan introduce a similar bill and, in effect, make himself a cosponsor of the legislation. Final determinations in these matters have not yet been made in the Department.
- 9. (Confidential JGO) Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who told me that consideration of the Radios bill was put over in the executive session this morning for a couple of weeks or so until after Chairman Fulbright returns from his trip out of the country.

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- 10. (Confidential JGO) Met with Mr. Albert Westphal, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, who told me that the Radios bill has been referred to the District Committee. He does not know at the moment what action is contemplated by the Department concerning the bill. Should the bill be rereferred to Foreign Affairs Committee, he will advise me since he will have staff responsibility for the handling of the bill.
- ll. (Secret JGO) Met with Mr. John R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who told me that the procurement bill will be scheduled for the floor of the House sometime between the 15th and 21st of June.

I briefed Mr. Blandford on the following items: Soviet military exercises; Soviet ABM testing; Tyuratam "J" vehicle; improved Egyptian air defense; and North Vietnamese troop movements in southern Laos.

12. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and told him the Director will be away from the city from about 16 June through 6 July. Mr. Preston told me the present schedule is such that it does not appear possible for the Chairman to call the Director for briefing on the Agency budget prior to the 16th. Mr. Preston believes we may go well beyond 6 July before he will call for the Agency budget briefing. However, the Committee may well hear DOD in the 25X1A

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13. (Secret - JMM) Talked to John Lehman, White House staff, who said among the items on the agenda for tomorrow's LIG meeting would be the Radio Free Europe legislation and the Symington amendment on Laos. He said that regarding Laos he hoped I would be able to elaborate on the Agency programs in Laos, how they are related to other U.S. programs, what committees are concerned with these programs, and who on these committees we might turn to in order to get support in trying to head off the Symington amendment.

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4. (Confidential - GLC)

CI Staff, called to say that Harvey Wellman, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Narcotics Matters, had been in touch with him about a request he had received from Dr. John J. Brady, Jr., of the House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, for a copy of the report on the drug problem which was referred to in the New York Times article the other day. Brady had also asked about the author of the report.

Suggested it be referred to as a report prepared by BNDD and CIA. is forwarding us a copy of the report for transmittal to Brady.

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- 5. (Internal Use Only PLC) Mr. Frank Morgan, staff member, STATOTHR office of Senator Winston Prouty (R., Vt.) called and requested any publications providing general information on the role of CIA. Mr. Morgan stated he first learned of CIA through

 Mr. Morgan was also interested in what conditions would warrant an emergency relocation of the Agency. I advised Mr. Morgan I would provide him with the pamphlets he requested and probably only general information as to the Agency's emergency relocation.
- 6. (Internal Use Only JGO) Met with Mr. John R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who told me that the Chairman will be appearing before the Rules Committee in the morning for a rule on H. R. 6483, appointment of Marine Corps officers to the grade of general, and H. R. 8687, military procurement appropriations authorization bill. Although the scheduling for floor debate is very iffy at this time, it is Mr. Blandford's opinion that the procurement bill will be on the floor before the end of the month.
- 7. (Internal Use Only JGO) Met with Mr. Gary Michalak, House Appropriations Committee staff, who told me that the Appropriations Committee hearings on the Defense appropriations bill will wind up on Thursday of this week.
- 8. (Confidential JGO) Delivered copy number two of the transcript of the Director's testimony before House Armed Services Committee on 25 March to Miss Louise Ellis, of the Committee staff, for review in connection with the commercial reporting firm's billing for transcript services.

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- 5. (Unclassified JMM) At a social gathering on 3 June, I mentioned to Jack Anderson, the columnist, our concern over allegations of involvement in the drug traffic in Southeast Asia and told him I had noted an interesting letter on the subject from Mr. Ingersoll of BNDD to Representative Charles Gubser which set the record straight. Anderson said he would be interested in seeing this and might use it in his column. I said I would send him a copy, which I did today.
- 6. (Confidential JMM) Al Westphal, Staff Consultant, House Foreign Affairs Committee, called to ask:
 - a. If we had independent confirmation of press reports that the Lithuanian who had unsuccessfully attempted to defect to the U.S. Coast Guard had been tried and sentenced, and
 - b. If we knew anything about a professed free lance journalist named Al Ruksenas who had been querying the Committee about the defector.

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After checking, I called Mr. Westphal back to say we had no information

- 7. (Unclassified JMM) Mr. Thad Murray, in the office of Senator William Spong, called to say that in response to a constituent inquiry they had received from Mr. Ingersoll, BNDD, a letter enthusiastically praising the Agency's role in assisting in dealing with the drug problem in Southeast Asia.
- 8. (Confidential JMM) Called Phil Trimble, staff of the Muskie Subcommittee of Senate Foreign Relations Committee, to say I discussed with the Director the request that he appear on 15 June with ACDA Director Smith to discuss aspects of Soviet and ChiCom strategic threat relating to the SALT talks. I said the Director did not want to appear unresponsive, but had a particularly tight schedule because of an upcoming trip and had been alerted that he might be called to testify before Chairman Mahon's Appropriations Subcommittee on the 14th or 15th. I also said that he felt he could add nothing to his testimony on this subject before the Muskie Subcommittee on 29 March 1971. Trimble said he understood the new silos had changed the picture slightly. I said there had indeed been some new silos identified, but CIA and DIA agreed it was too soon to draw any conclusions as to their significance. I also said the Director would not want to appear in association with other witnesses. Trimble said he would pass these comments on to Senator Muskie and be back in touch with us.

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